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PUBLIC MEETING MINUTES:	Board of Massage and Bodywork
MEETING DATE AND TIME:	Thursday, August 19, 2010 at 1:30 p.m.
PLACE:	861 Silver Lake Boulevard, Dover, Delaware Conference Room B , second floor Cannon Building
MINUTES APPROVED:	September 16, 2010

MEMBERS PRESENT

Lora Bryner, Professional Member, President
Cindy Horsman, Professional Member, Vice President
Sheila Nagyiski, Professional Member
Sharon Harris, Public Member

MEMBERS ABSENT

Diane Langston, Public Member
Holly Overmyer, Professional Member
Gordon Gelley, Public Member, Secretary

DIVISION STAFF/DEPUTY ATTORNEY GENERAL/COURT REPORTER

Eileen Heeney, Deputy Attorney General
Nancy Fields, Administrative Specialist

OTHERS PRESENT

Beth Richmond
David Patterson

CALL TO ORDER

Ms. Bryner called the meeting to order at 1:45 p.m.

REVIEW OF MINUTES

The Board reviewed the minutes from the June 17, 2010 meeting. A motion was made by Ms. Harris, seconded by Ms. Horsman, to approve the minutes as presented. The motion unanimously carried.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS

The Board signed the Decision and Order to revoke Mr. Hong Zhang's certification. This Order will be mailed to him.

NEW BUSINESS

Ratification of Certified Massage Technician Applications

A motion was made by Ms. Horsman, seconded by Ms. Harris, to ratify the following Certified Massage Technician applications for licensure, which have already been issued by the Division of Professional Regulation:

Melissa R. Sachs
Amanda M. Horsey
Paige Oxlaj Deiner
Tracy D. Emerick
Christine E. Milliner
Jessica C. Seman
Yolanda Fay McKoy
Dawn M. Jackson
Terri L. Faison
Emily E. Hannig

The motion unanimously carried.

Ratification of Temporary Certified Massage Technician Applications

A motion was made by Ms. Horsman, seconded by Ms. Harris, to ratify the following Temporary Massage Technician applications for licensure, which have already been issued by the Division of Professional Regulation.

Tim Rennick

The motion unanimously carried.

Ratification of License Massage Therapists Applications

A motion was made by Ms. Horsman, seconded by Mr. Gelley, to ratify the following Licensed Massage Therapist applications for licensure, which have already been issued by the Division of Professional Regulation.

Tara Pettit
Nicole H. Kloss
Michael L. Lutz
Ann Q. Staib
Samantha J. Hudran
Asheley M. Class**
Debra H. Davies
Carrie E. Lichner
Susan L. Brown
Anne K. Brennan
Jan S. Streetman
Kimberly G. Stockslager
Donna M. Peters
Jennifer T. Techentine
Bryan D. Thornton
Lisa Marie Mundy
Timateo J. Arias
Carrie A. Charles
Andrei O. Visan

Minh-Vu Nguyen
Hope Hicks

The motion unanimously carried.

Application Reviews

The application for Barbara Dobrzanska was reviewed by the Board.

A motion was made by Ms. Horsman, seconded by Ms. Nagyiski, to table her application in order to get additional information which proves that she meets educational requirements. The motion unanimously carried.

The application for Allassia Monsanto was reviewed by the Board and Board Counsel.

A motion was made by Ms. Harris, seconded by Ms. Nagyiski, to approve her for a Technician certification. The motion unanimously carried.

Continuing Education Approval Requests

After review, a motion was made by Ms. Horsman, seconded by Ms. Harris, to approve the following applications as presented:

AMTA Maryland Chapter- Submitted by Desiree McKinnon, CMT
Breathe Easier! Releasing Restrictions in Ribcage, 7 hours, core
Bodywork for the Dying, 4 hours, core
Introduction to Conscious Connected Breathing, 4 hours, **elective**

Cool Water Mind & Body Connection (Yolanda Johnson)
Health & Touch Massage, 6.5 hours, core
Re-Review of Tabled Application for Baron and Butler
Flexibility Training – Parts 1 and 2 – 12 hours, core

After review, a motion was made by Ms. Horsman, seconded by Ms. Harris, to table the following applications for additional information:

Wayne Dawson, LMT & Christine Kurz
Using Subtle Energy in Massage II, 6 hours, core

Relaxing Touch Bodyworks – Janet Fante, LMT
Introduction to Shiatsu-Theory and Technique, 12 hours, core
Chair Massage, 6 hours

Florida Department of Health – Submitted by Nancy Alteri, LMT
Ashiatsu Bar/Floor Therapy, (home study), 24 hours, core

The Institute of Physical Art – Submitted by Nancy Lagowski, CMT
Proprioceptive Neuromuscular Facilitation, 28 hours, cor

Request for Approval of Self-Directed Activity Credits – JoAnn Justice, LMT
Functional & Clinical Massage – 3 courses total of 16 hours requested

The motion unanimously carried.

COMPLAINT UPDATES

20-02-09 to AG office
20-01-10 Closed
20-02-10 to AG office
20-03-10 to AG office
20-04-10 to AG office
20-05-10 Open – Pending
20-06-10 to AG – hearing held – revocation of license - closed
20-07-10 Open – Pending
20-08-10 Open – Pending
20-09-10 Open – Pending
20-10-10 Open - Pending
20-11-10 Open – Pending

CORRESPONDENCE

The Board was given a final report of the Joint Sunset Committee.

OTHER BUSINESS

HB 436 was vetoed by the Governor. It became apparent to the Board that it was vetoed due to last minute protesters who called the Governor to protest the bill because they didn't want to have to take an exam.

The Board will be working on a revised bill to submit to the next Legislative session unless otherwise instructed by the Sunset Review Committee. Delaware would still like to continue the goal to be in alignment with the 46 other states that regulate Massage and have only one tier of licensure. The Board is asking for practitioners and members of the public to come to the meetings or send in their suggestions or comments on how to accomplish this goal fairly while maintaining the number one priority of better public protection. The Board will also be working on revisions and amendments to the current Rules and Regulations within the next few months to try to incorporate in some of the items it feels is critically necessary for public protection.

PUBLIC COMMENT

There was no public comment.

NEXT SCHEDULED MEETING

The next meeting is scheduled for September 16, 2010 at 1:30 pm.

ADJOURNMENT

There being no further business, a motion was made by Ms. Horsman, seconded by Ms. Nagyiski, to adjourn the meeting. The motion was unanimously carried. The meeting was adjourned at 3:02 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,



Nancy Fields
Administrative Specialist II for
Board of Massage and Bodywork